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## THIRD PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend this application as follows: TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2800

In the Claims:

claims 1-10, 13-16, 24-30 and 36-49

Please cancel ÁLL previously amended claims 1-49 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please add new claims 50-79 as follows:

- 50. (New) A laminate for a molded eye lens comprising:
  - a first resinous layer;
  - a second resinous layer;
  - a functional layer disposed between said first and second resinous layer;

an adhesive adhering said functional layer to both said first and second resinous layer; and

said adhesive formulated to have sufficient flexibility so as to substantially prevent crazing during molding of said lens.